

# Comparable Programs for Brightwood College, Virginia College, and Golf Academy of America Students

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## Important Notes for Students:

- Institutions on this list have self-identified as having comparable programs. However, an institution may have other programs for which a student might be interested. Students should review notes under each institution's contact information for additional programs that might be offered.
- Students should never assume that credits will transfer to or from any educational institution. The determination as to whether to accept credits is at the discretion of the receiving institution. However, the institutions below have stated they will work with students to transfer into programs that the institutions have identified as comparable.
- Accredited institutions are under accreditation standards which may require certain credit hours be completed at the institution to which a student transfers.
- Students should do their own due diligence as to whether a particular institution or program fits their needs.
- Contact information is provided for each institution identified. If an institution has an asterisk (\*), the institution is a private non-degree institution or out-of-state institution which is not overseen by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB). Additional contact information is provided so students may request information about the institution in the state where it is located.
- The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board only had oversight of degree programs at the ECA schools. All questions regarding non-degree/certificate programs should be addressed to the Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) (512.936.3100).

Contact information for schools is at the end of this document – [Institution Contact Information.](#)

**ECA has provided an information page for possible transfers - [ECA Transfer Opportunities](#).**

## **Brightwood College – Arlington**

### **CNC Machinist (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*PCI Health Training Center – Richardson
  - Private non-degree institution
  - Program: Dental Assistant

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Medical Assistant (Certificate)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*PCI Health Training Center – Dallas and Richardson
  - Private non-degree institution
  - Program: Medical Assistant
- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Medical Assistant (Certificate)

### **Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Programs:
    - Computer Support Specialist (Certificate)

- Information Technology (AAS and Certificate)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

## **Brightwood College – Beaumont**

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*Academy for Dental Assisting
  - Licensed by TWC
  - Program: Dental Assistant certificate

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- \*Academy for Dental Assisting
  - Licensed by TWC
  - Program: Dental Assistant certificate program offered to students who want to transfer to another healthcare field.
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Office Assistant/Specialist (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

## **Brightwood College – Brownsville**

### **Heating, Air Conditional & Refrigeration Technology (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Office Assistant/Specialist (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Practice Management (AAS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Business Management – Healthcare Management (BS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Tyler Junior College
  - Texas public community college
  - Programs: (some online)
    - Healthcare Administration (AAS)
    - Medical Office Management (AAS)

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)

- Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Texas Southmost College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Computer Information System (AAS)

### **Pharmacy Tech./Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

## **Brightwood College – Corpus Christi**

### **Criminal Justice (AAS)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Weatherford College – Online
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Online courses in Criminal Justice

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Office Assistant/Specialist (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

## **Brightwood College – Dallas**

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*PCI Health Training Center – Richardson
  - Private non-degree institution
  - Program: Dental Assistant

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Medical Assistant (Certificate)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*PCI Health Training Center – Dallas and Richardson
  - Private non-degree institution
  - Program: Medical Assistant
- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Medical Assistant (Certificate)

### **Medical Office Assistant/Specialist (Certificate)**

- \*PCI Health Training Center – Dallas and Richardson
  - Private non-degree institution
  - Program: Medical Office Assistant

### **Medical Records Technol./Tech. (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)

- Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Programs:
    - Computer Support Specialist (Certificate)
    - Information Technology (AAS and Certificate)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Occupational Therapy Assistant (AAS)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Weatherford College – Mineral Wells
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Occupational Therapy Assistant

### **Physical Therapy Assistant (AAS)**

- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Physical Therapist Assistant (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Weatherford College – Mineral Wells
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Physical Therapist Assistant

## **Brightwood College – El Paso**

### **Computer Support Specialist (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Construction/Building Inspection-varying training lengths and hours (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Elect. & Electronics Equip. Installer & Repairer (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Energy Mgmt. & Systems Technol./Tech.-varying training lengths and hours (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Administrative/Executive Assistant and Medical Secretary (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Western Technical College
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Program:
    - Medical Clinical Assistant (Certificate)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- Western Technical College
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Program:
    - Medical Clinical Assistant (Certificate)

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Western Technical College
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Program:
    - Information Systems and Security (AAS)

## **Solar Technology/Technician-varying training lengths (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

## **Brightwood College – Fort Worth**

### **Criminal Justice (AAS)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Weatherford College – Online
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Online courses in Criminal Justice
- Weatherford College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Criminal Justice

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*PCI Health Training Center – Richardson
  - Private non-degree institution
  - Program: Dental Assistant

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Medical Assistant (Certificate)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*PCI Health Training Center – Dallas and Richardson
  - Private non-degree institution
  - Program: Medical Assistant
- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Medical Assistant (Certificate)

### **Medical Office Assistant/Specialist (Certificate)**

- \*PCI Health Training Center – Dallas and Richardson
  - Private non-degree institution
  - Program: Medical Office Assistant

## **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Tarrant County College
  - Texas public community college
  - Programs:
    - Computer Support Specialist (Certificate)
    - Information Technology (AAS and Certificate)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

## **Pharmacy Tech./Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

## **Brightwood College – Friendswood**

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*Academy for Dental Assisting
  - Licensed by TWC
  - Program: Dental Assistant certificate

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- \*Academy for Dental Assisting
  - Licensed by TWC
  - Program: Dental Assistant certificate program offered to students who want to transfer to another healthcare field.
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Office Assistant/Specialist (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

## **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

## **Pharmacy Tech./Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

## **Brightwood College – Houston North**

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*Academy for Dental Assisting
  - Licensed by TWC
  - Program: Dental Assistant certificate program
- Lone Star College-North Harris
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Dental Assistant (Diploma)

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- \*Academy for Dental Assisting
  - Licensed by TWC
  - Dental Assistant certificate program offered to students who want to transfer to another healthcare field.
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- Lone Star College-North Harris
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Medical Assistant (Diploma)

### **Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder (Certificate)**

- Lone Star College-North Harris
  - Texas public community college

- Program: Coding Certificate Level II (Diploma)

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Lone Star College-North Harris
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Network & Computer System Administrator (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Nurse Aide (Certificate)**

- Lone Star College-North Harris
  - Texas public community college
  - Programs:
    - Patient Care Technician (Diploma)
    - Nurse Aide (CNA) (Certificate)

### **Pharmacy Tech./Assistant (Certificate)**

- Lone Star College-North Harris
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Pharmacy Technology Certificate Level I (Diploma)

## **Brightwood College – Laredo**

### **Business Administration (AAS)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
    - Competency-based Education Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences in Organizational Leadership (CBE BAAS-Organizational Leadership)
- Weatherford College – Online
  - Texas public community college
  - Online courses in Business Computer Information Systems, and Computer Science

### **Business Administration & Management (Certificate)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
    - Competency-based Education Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences in Organizational Leadership (CBE BAAS-Organizational Leadership)

### **Health Aide (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Pharmacy Tech./Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

## **Brightwood College – McAllen**

### **Criminal Justice (AAS)**

- South Texas College – Pecan Campus
  - Texas public community college

- Program: Criminal Justice (AA)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Weatherford College
  - Texas public community college
  - Online courses in Criminal Justice

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Elect. & Electronics Equip. Installer & Repairer (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Administrative/Executive Assistant and Medical Secretary (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- South Texas College – Pecan Campus
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Medical Assistant Technology (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

- Texas Southmost College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Computer Information System (AAS)

## **Brightwood College – San Antonio (Ingram)**

### **Health Information Technology (AAS)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – San Antonio and Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Palo Alto College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Network Administrator (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Nurse Aide (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Paralegal Studies (AAS)**

- Center for Advanced Legal Studies – online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Program: Paralegal certificate and degree
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

## **Brightwood College – San Antonio (San Pedro)**

### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Administrative/Executive Assistant and Medical Secretary (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Network and System Administration (AS)**

- Hallmark University – San Antonio and Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Palo Alto College
  - Texas public community college
  - Program: Network Administrator (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:

- Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
- Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Pharmacy Technician (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Phlebotomy Technician (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

## **Golf Academy of America – Dallas**

### **Golf Course Operations and Management (AOS)**

- Keiser University College of Golf
  - Florida private not-for-profit institution
  - Program: Golf Management – may have online and on-ground options
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
    - Competency-based Education Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences in Organizational Leadership (CBE BAAS-Organizational Leadership)

## **Virginia College – Austin**

### **Business Administration (AA)**

- PelotonU/Brandman University
  - Online private degree-granting institution.
  - Additional services through PelotonU. Please refer to the listing for PelotonU for more information.
  - Online degrees:
    - General Business (BBA)
    - Management (BBA)
- PelotonU/Southern New Hampshire University
  - Online private degree-granting institution.
  - Additional services through PelotonU. Please refer to the listing for PelotonU for more information.
  - Online degrees:
    - General Business (AA)
    - Management (BA)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
    - Competency-based Education Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences in Organizational Leadership (CBE BAAS-Organizational Leadership)

- Weatherford College – Online
  - Texas public community college
  - Online courses in Business Computer Information Systems, and Computer Science

### **Business Administration & Mgmt. (Certificate)**

- PelotonU/Brandman University
  - Online private degree-granting institution.
  - Additional services through PelotonU. Please refer to the listing for PelotonU for more information.
  - Online degrees:
    - General Business (BBA)
    - Management (BBA)
- PelotonU/Southern New Hampshire University
  - Online private degree-granting institution.
  - Additional services through PelotonU. Please refer to the listing for PelotonU for more information.
  - Online degrees:
    - General Business (AA)
    - Management (BA)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
    - Competency-based Education Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences in Organizational Leadership (CBE BAAS-Organizational Leadership)

### **Computer Support Specialist (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Diagnostic Medical Sonography (AS)**

- Houston International College Cardiotech Ultrasound School
  - Private institution under THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Vascular Sonography (AAS)
    - Diagnostic Medical Sonography (AAS)
    - Echocardiogram Technician (certificate)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Weatherford College
  - Texas public community college
  - Diagnostic Medical Sonography program offered

### **Healthcare Reimbursement (AA)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Administrative/Executive Assistant and Medical Secretary (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Assistant (Certificate)**

- \*CyberTex Institute of Technology – Austin
  - Licensed by TWC
  - Program:
    - Medical Assistant (Certificate)

### **Medical Insurance Specialist/Medical Biller (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Office Management (AS)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Business Management – Healthcare Management (BS)
- PelotonU/Southern New Hampshire University
  - Online private degree-granting institution.
  - Additional services through PelotonU. Please refer to the listing for PelotonU for more information.
  - Online degrees:
    - Healthcare Management (AA)
    - Healthcare Management (BA)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Tyler Junior College
  - Texas public community college
  - Programs: (some online)
    - Healthcare Administration (AAS)
    - Medical Office Management (AAS)

### **Network and System Administration (AA)**

- \*CyberTex Institute of Technology – Austin
  - Licensed by TWC

- Program:
  - Network Engineer (Certificate)
- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- PelotonU/Brandman University
  - Online private degree-granting institution.
  - Additional services through PelotonU. Please refer to the listing for PelotonU for more information.
  - Online degree:
    - IT (BS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Paralegal Studies (AS)**

- Center for Advanced Legal Studies – online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Program: Paralegal certificate and degree
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Pharmacy Tech./Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Respiratory Care (AS)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
- Weatherford College
  - Texas public community college
  - Respiratory Care program offered

### **Surgical Technology (AS)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Virginia College – Lubbock**

#### **Administrative Assistant/Secretarial Science (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

#### **Business Administration (AA)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
    - Competency-based Education Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences in Organizational Leadership (CBE BAAS-Organizational Leadership)
- Weatherford College – Online
  - Texas public community college
  - Online courses in Business Computer Information Systems, and Computer Science

#### **Business Administration & Management (Certificate)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)
    - Competency-based Education Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences in Organizational Leadership (CBE BAAS-Organizational Leadership)

#### **Computer Support Specialist-varying training lengths (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

#### **Customer Service Support/Call Center/Teleservice Operation (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

#### **Dental Assistant (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

#### **Medical Assistant (AA)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Medical Assistant-varying training lengths (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Insurance Specialist/Medical Biller (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Medical Office Assistant/Specialist (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Network Engineering (AS)**

- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Network and System Administration (AA)**

- Hallmark University – Online
  - Private degree-granting institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Programs:
    - Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Systems (BS)
    - Information Systems – Cybersecurity (BS)
    - Information Technology Cisco (AAS)
    - Information Technology Microsoft (AAS)
- Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
  - Texas public university
  - Online degrees:
    - Bachelor of Applied Arts & Science (BAAS)
    - Bachelor of General Studies (BGS)

### **Pharmacy Tech./Assistant-varying training lengths (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

### **Selling Skills & Sales Operations (Certificate)**

- No programs identified

## Institution Contact Information

### \*Academy for Dental Assisting

- Contacts for program requirements and start dates:
  - Jessica Reyna (832.643.9945 or [academy4dentalassisting@gmail.com](mailto:academy4dentalassisting@gmail.com))
  - Liliana Sandoval (832.643.9945 or [academy4dentalassisting@gmail.com](mailto:academy4dentalassisting@gmail.com))
- Location with comparable program or alternative:
  - Academy for Dental Assisting - 9700 Richmond Ave. Ste 110  
Houston, TX 77042
- More information about institution:
  - Licensed by Texas Workforce Commission (512.936.3100)

### Center for Advanced Legal Studies

- Contacts for program information and admissions:
  - James Scheffer, Admission Director (800.446.6931 or [james.scheffer@paralegal.edu](mailto:james.scheffer@paralegal.edu))
- Locations with comparable programs:
  - Center for Advanced Legal Studies, 800 W. Sam Houston Parkway, Suite 100,  
Houston, TX 77042
- More information about institution:
  - Students attending classes online meet two hours per week in live online class; then complete an additional four hours per week asynchronously. Using webcam and headset, live sessions are designed so that students can see and hear their instructor and classmates, ask questions, and participate in class.

### \*Cybertex Institute of Technology

- Contact for transcript review and transfer options:
  - Ms. JR Eddington (512.454.6116)
- Location with comparable program or alternative:
  - CyberTex Institute of Technology – Austin, 6300 LaCalma Drive, Ste. 350, Austin, TX 78752
- More information about institution:
  - Licensed by Texas Workforce Commission (512.936.3100)

### Hallmark University

- Contact for program information and admissions:
  - 800.880.6600
- Locations with comparable programs:
  - Hallmark University, 10401 IH-10 West, San Antonio, TX 78230
  - Online options
- More information about institution:

- Private institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization

### **Houston International College Cardiotech Ultrasound Schools**

- Contacts for program information and admissions:
  - Joan Douglas, Director (281.495.0078 or [info@cardiotech.org](mailto:info@cardiotech.org))
- Locations with comparable programs:
  - Houston International College Cardiotech Ultrasound School, 12135 Bissonnet, Suite E, Houston, TX 77099
- More information about institution:
  - Private institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization
  - Spring semester starts on January 7, 2019

### **\*Keiser University College of Golf**

- Contacts for program information:
  - **College Golf Leadership Team**
    - Dr. Eric Wilson, Legacy Master PGA Professional  
[ewilson@keiseruniversity.edu](mailto:ewilson@keiseruniversity.edu)
    - Mr. Brian Hughes, Master PGA Professional [bhughes@keiseruniversity.edu](mailto:bhughes@keiseruniversity.edu)
  - **Admissions Counselor**
    - Zack Rahman [zrahman@keiseruniversity.edu](mailto:zrahman@keiseruniversity.edu)
    - Todd Dittmar [tdittmar@keiseruniversity.edu](mailto:tdittmar@keiseruniversity.edu)
- Location with comparable program or alternative:
  - Keiser University Flagship Campus, 2600 North Military Trail, West Palm Beach, FL 33409
- More information about institution:
  - Private, not-for-profit university in Florida. For information on accreditations, see <https://www.keiseruniversity.edu/accreditation/>.

### **Lone Star College**

- Contact for admissions and transfer into institution:
  - Derrick Manns, VP Enrollment Management ([derrick.a.manns@lonestar.edu](mailto:derrick.a.manns@lonestar.edu))
- Locations with comparable programs:
  - Lone Star College, 5000 Research Forest Drive, The Woodlands, TX 77381
  - Lone Star College-North Harris specifically invites students to continue their education as it is in close proximity to the Brightwood College-Houston North campus.
- More information about institution:
  - Texas public community college
  - Lone Star College has locations throughout the Houston area

### **Palo Alto College**

- Contact for computer information systems or CISCO program information and transfer into institution:
  - Joseph Coppola ([icoppola2@alamo.edu](mailto:icoppola2@alamo.edu) or 210-486-3208)
- Contact for other questions:
  - Palo Alto College Welcome Center (<https://www.alamo.edu/pac/admissions-aid/welcome-center/> or 210-486-3100)
- Locations with comparable programs:
  - Alamo Colleges District – Palo Alto College, 1400 W. Villaret Blvd., San Antonio, TX 78224
- More information about institution:
  - Texas public community college
  - Palo Alto has offered to work with any ECA student.
  - Institution states there are a variety of ways it can award transfer credit.

#### **\*PCI Health Training Center**

- Contact for program requirements and admissions:
- Allan Tagbo, Assistant Director of Admissions Dallas Campus (214-630-0568 or [Atagbo@pcihealth.com](mailto:Atagbo@pcihealth.com)).
- Locations with comparable programs:
  - PCI Health Training Center-Richardson, 1300 International Parkway, Richardson, TX 75081
  - PCI Health Training Center-Dallas, 8181 John W. Carpenter Freeway, Dallas, TX 75247
- More information about institution:
  - Licensed by Texas Workforce Commission (512.936.3100)
  - On-boarding and transfer processes have been defined to transition students into programs to completion.

#### **\*PelotonU**

- PelotonU is not authorized to operate as a postsecondary education institution in Texas.
- PelotonU provides a service to help students connect with online education providers.
- The organization supports students in their education through services such as improving study skills and independent advising.
- Contact to learn about PelotonU's services and institutions to which they refer:
  - Navid Ladha (512.553.2338 or [navid@pelotonu.org](mailto:navid@pelotonu.org))
- Online institutions to which PelotonU refers students:
  - [Southern New Hampshire University](#)
  - [Brandman University](#)
- More information about PelotonU and the educational institutions:
  - PelotonU's description of its services:
    - PelotonU has created a path to graduation specifically for working adults who benefit from flexible schedules in a supportive peer environment. We

combine the best of online with the best of in-person to ensure every student graduates on time and debt-free.

- Southern New Hampshire University is based in Manchester, New Hampshire and accredited by the New England Commission of Higher Education.
- Brandman University is based in Irvine, California and accredited by the WASC Senior College and University Commission.

### **South Texas College**

- Contacts for program information and admissions: Minna Montalvo, Transcript/Graduation Analyst, Enrollment Center – Pecan Campus ([mmontalvo@southtexascollege.edu](mailto:mmontalvo@southtexascollege.edu) or 956.872.8317)
- Location with comparable programs:
  - South Texas College-Pecan Campus, 3201 W. Pecan, McAllen, TX 78501
- More information about institution:
  - Texas public community college
  - Financial Aid will work with students to transfer any awards to South Texas College. Students also may be able to earn credit by exam depending upon the program of study and review by the academic department. Students may apply to the college at [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org) and can schedule an appointment at the Pecan Campus Enrollment Center for personalized service.

### **Tarrant County College**

- Contacts for program information and admissions: [District Admissions & Records Office](#)
- Location with comparable programs:
  - TCC-Northeast, 828 Harwood Road, Hurst, TX 76045
  - TCC-Northwest, 4801 Marine Creek Pkwy, Ft. Worth, TX 76179
  - TC-South Campus, 5301 Campus Drive, Ft. Worth, TX 76119
  - TCC-Southeast Campus, 2100 Southeast Pkwy., Arlington, TX 76018
  - TCC-Trinity River, 300 River Campus Circle, Ft. Worth, TX 76102
  - TCC-Connect Campus (online), 444 North Henderson, Ft. Worth, TX 76102
- More information about institution:
  - Texas public community college
  - Tarrant County College can assist with almost all ECA programs. TCC is currently assessing the ECA programs offered in order to facilitate transfers.

### **Texas Southmost College**

- Contacts for program information and admissions:
  - Dulce Martinez, Coordinator of Student Recruitment (956.295.3756 or [Dulce.martinez@tsc.edu](mailto:Dulce.martinez@tsc.edu))
  - Madeleine Guillen, Student Recruitment Specialist (956.295.3759 or [Madeleine.guillen@tsc.edu](mailto:Madeleine.guillen@tsc.edu))

- Magdalena Luna, Student Recruitment Specialist (956.295.3760 or [Magdalena.luna@tsc.edu](mailto:Magdalena.luna@tsc.edu))
- Judy Moreno, Student Recruitment Specialist (956.295.3758 or [Judy.moreno@tsc.edu](mailto:Judy.moreno@tsc.edu))
- Christian Torres, Coordinator of Admissions and Records (956.295.3619 or [Christian.torres@tsc.edu](mailto:Christian.torres@tsc.edu))
- Location with comparable programs:
  - Texas Southmost College, 80 Fort Brown, Brownsville, TX 78520
- More information about institution:
  - Texas public community college
  - Students may view the TSC website (<http://www.tsc.edu/index.php/academics/degrees-and-certificates.html>) to search the types of degrees, certificates and awards offered at Texas Southmost College.
  - Texas Southmost College also offers the 42-hour Core Curriculum; a student who completes the 42-hour Core Curriculum at Texas Southmost College may transfer the block of courses to any other Texas public college or public university.

### **Texas A&M University-Commerce**

- Contact for program information and admissions:
  - [Transferadmissions@tamuc.edu](mailto:Transferadmissions@tamuc.edu) or 903.886.5000.
- Location with comparable programs:
  - Texas A&M University-Commerce – Online
    - Physical campus is located at 2200 Campbell Street, Commerce TX 75428
- More information about institution:
  - Texas public university
  - Institution will need a transfer application from [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org) and an official transcript from each school the student previously attended. As long as the student has 12 transferable hours and a 2.0 GPA, the student is admissible.

### **Tyler Junior College**

- Contact for program information and admissions:
  - Loretta Swan ([lswa@tjc.edu](mailto:lswa@tjc.edu) or 903.510.2477)
- Location with comparable programs:
  - Tyler Junior College, 1327 S. Baxter Ave., Tyler, TX 75701
- More information about institution:
  - Texas public community college
  - The Medical Office Management and the Health Information Technology degree programs have either an internship or practicums to complete for students to graduate.
  - The Healthcare Administration and Health Information Technology degrees are online programs with the exception of A&P course (BIOL 2401, BIOL 242, or BIOL 2404).

- To determine which classes are offered in the different formats would require looking at each one based on the students' needs. All the classes in the three programs are not offered in both formats.

### **Weatherford College**

- Contacts for program information and updates on transitioning students into institution:
  - Vicki Traweek (815.594.5471 or [vtraweek@wc.edu](mailto:vtraweek@wc.edu))
  - Adam Finely (815.594.5471 or [afinley@wc.edu](mailto:afinley@wc.edu))
- Locations with comparable programs:
  - Weatherford College Main Campus – 225 College Park Drive, Weatherford, TX 76086
  - Education Center at Mineral Wells – 704 Hood Rd., Mineral Wells, TX 76067
- More information about institution:
  - Texas public community college

### **Western Technical College**

- Contacts for program information and admissions:
  - Campus President for the Main Campus (Plaza Circle), Mary Cano (915.231.4906)
  - Campus President for the Branch Campus (Diana Drive), Margie Aguilar (915.231.4911)
- Locations with comparable programs:
  - Western Technical College-Main Campus, 9624 Plaza Circle, El Paso, TX 79927
  - Western Technical College-Branch Campus, 9451 Diana Drive, El Paso, TX 79924
- More information about institution:
  - Private institution under a THECB Certificate of Authorization